

## DEPARTMENT 300 – SMALL ANIMAL SCIENCES

### CLASS 34 - RABBITS



Exhibitor must be enrolled in the 4-H Rabbit Project. Rabbits must be in the exhibitor's possession by May 1<sup>st</sup>. An entry fee of **\$5.00/member** helps cover our judging costs and is due with completed entry form by **4-H entry deadline**. Costume CLASS will be held on Sunday at 1 pm. BARN RULES: Animals are to be fed and watered twice daily. Arrangements can be made for sharing this responsibility with another exhibitor. The exhibitor (not

parents) is responsible for the care of animals, cleaning the cages and surrounding areas. Parents may only be involved in a supervisory position unless there is a safety issue. Animals are to remain throughout the Fair, unless the Rabbit Committee rules otherwise. Courtesy and good sportsmanship are the order of the day.

#### MARKET RABBITS

Market lot meat pen will consist of 3 rabbits of same breed & variety. Market pens must be offspring of project animal and will be weighed at the show. Required project material must be turned into Project Leader prior to Market Sale. Purebred Market Rabbits will all be of the same breed & variety and accompanied by a 3-generation pedigree showing all ancestors to be of the same breed as recognized by the A.R.B.A. "Standards of Perfection". Exhibitor may enter 2 market pens per LOT and may sell 2 market pens. Only LOTS 1 & 2 are eligible to sell. (market pens= 3 ½ -5 lbs, 70 days or less)

**LOT 3401 Purebred Market Pen**

**LOT 3402 Crossbred Market Pen**

#### SHOWMANSHIP (participation required of all exhibitors)

**LOT 3403 Jr. Novice, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> year Showing (ages 9-13)**

**LOT 3404 Jr. Advanced, 3<sup>rd</sup> year & Up (ages 9-13)**

**LOT 3405 Sr. Novice, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> year Showing (ages 14 & Up)**

**LOT 3406 Advanced Sr., 3<sup>rd</sup> year & Up (ages 14 & Up)**



#### BREEDS - Entry forms provided by Rabbit Committee

Rabbits must be entered by breed, variety, age & sex. Purebreds will be judged by A.R.B.A. "Standards of Perfection". Exhibitor is allowed to enter 2 rabbits per LOT per breed. Rabbits under 8 weeks of age, pregnant does or does with bunnies under 6 weeks of age will not be shown or displayed. All rabbits must be tattooed. Pre-juniors and Market Pens will be tattooed 1<sup>st</sup> day of Fair. List on the entry form-breed, variety, sex & age for both crossbreeds & purebred. All purebred rabbits must be accompanied with a 3-generation pedigree.

**LOT 3407 Senior Buck**

**LOT 3408 Senior Doe**

**LOT 3409 Junior Buck**

**LOT 3410 Junior Doe**

**LOT 3411 Intermediate Buck**

**LOT 3412 Intermediate Doe**



#### POSTER CONTEST

Entries are to be displayed with indoor exhibits. Poster must be 23"x28", on poster board & pertain to rabbits (place name & address on back). Posters will be awarded blue, red or white ribbons. The top poster will be chosen from the blue ribbon winners in both Jr. & Sr. Divisions for special awards.

**LOT 3413 Jr. Poster Division, ages 9-13**

**LOT 3414 Sr. Poster Division, ages 14 & up**

**LOT 3415 Cloverbud, ages 6-8 (participation ribbon only)**



#### PHOTO CONTEST

Entries are to be displayed with indoor exhibits. Photo must be mounted on foam board or matted & pertain to rabbits (place name & address on back) Photos will be awarded blue, red or white ribbons; top photo will be chosen from the blue ribbon winners in both Jr. & Sr. Divisions for special awards. Member must take photos including digital photos.

**LOT 3416 Jr. Photo Division, ages 9-13**

**LOT 3417 Jr. Computer Photo - (downloaded/printed from disk or digital camera)**

**LOT 3418 Sr. Photo Division, ages 14 & Up**

**LOT 3419 Sr. Computer Photo - (downloaded/printed from disk or digital camera)**

**LOT 3420 Cloverbud, ages 6-8 (participation ribbon only)**

**LOT 3421 Costume Contest (Sunday @ 1PM)**

**LOT 3499 Independent Study (must comply with all project requirements set by Committee)**

